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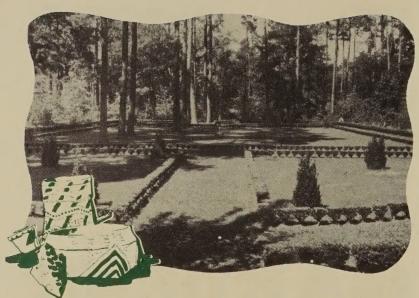


BAYOU GARDENS, on the banks of historic Bayou Lacombe, creates a panorama of beauty that only Mother Nature can paint. Here, where Chahta-Ima worked among the Choctaw Indians, the natural Charm and Beauty of the Bayou Country are preserved and enhanced by profuse planting of Camellias, Azaleas and other shrubs. The loveliness that pervades the atmosphere of this paradise of Louisiana cannot be put into words.

Amidst the lofty pines and moss draped silva of beautiful St. Tammany Parish native dogwood, redbud, magnolias, massed azaleas and over four hundred varieties of Camellias add colorful touches to the landscape. Formal gardens, patios and other attractive spots lend added interest.

The MUSEUM contains authentic Indian handicraft, weapons collection, pirogues, plantation bells and other relics of old Louisiana.





Boxwood planting in Camellia garden



Sunlight and shadows in patio



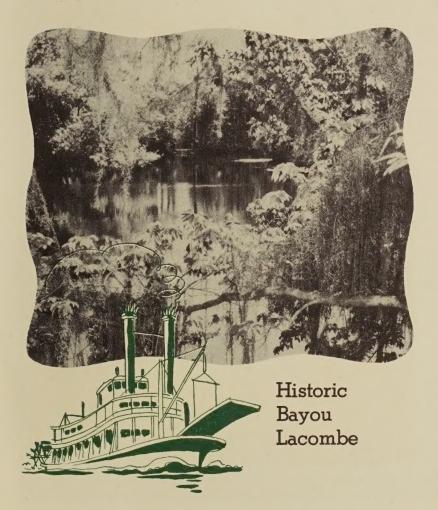
Woodland path bordered with Azaleas

SOME OF THE MANY CHARMING SPOTS IN

BAYOU GARDENS



Garden Visitors arrive by bus





Well-house nestles among Azaleas



Visitors pause to enjoy serene beauty of Bayou



Antique urn in corner of Camellia Garden



